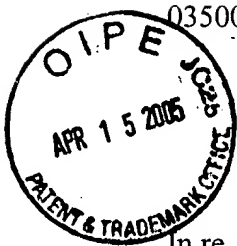


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SECOND REQUEST TO WITHDRAW OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests that the Office Action mailed November 17, 2004, be withdrawn because it was issued prematurely.

On September 22, 2004, Applicant filed a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), a Petition for Extension of Time (three months) and a Request for Suspension of Action for three months in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.103(c). The suspension of action expired on December 22, 2004. The Office Action mailed November 17, 2004, was therefore mailed prior to expiration of the suspension.

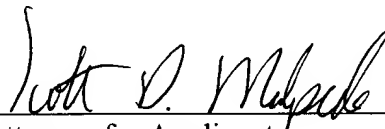
A copy of the Request for Suspension of Action and a postcard identifying the Request and date-stamped by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on September 22, 2004, accompanies this Request.

Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the Office Action of November 17, 2004, be withdrawn.

This is a Second Request to withdraw Office Action. An initial Request was filed on November 9, 2004, but has not been responded to by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

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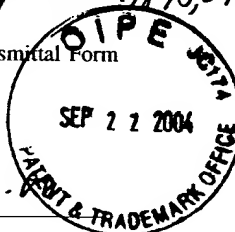
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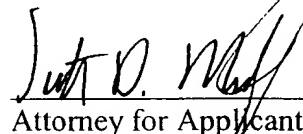
Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a suspension of action for three (3) months pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). Accompanying this request is a check for \$130.00 in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i).

Any additional fees deemed necessary may be deducted from Deposit Account No. 06-1205.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should be directed to our address listed below.

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